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Honorable Edward Brooke United States Senate Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Brooke:

As you know, the Department of Justice referred the letter from your constituent, Mr. Stephen Hauser, to this Agency for our consideration and preparation of an appropriate response.

I wish to assure you that this Agency was not involved in an attempt to "sabotage" the Manley Government in the Fall of 1976, and therefore, whatever Mr. Agee may have allegedly said or done about such non-existent efforts did not result in any effort on our part to harass or "hound" him. Furthermore, I wish to assure you that this Agency was not involved in any manner in the decision by the British Government to expel Mr. Agee from Great Britain; we were neither asked for nor offered any views or comments on this matter. The question of his expulsion from Great Britain as well as questions concerning his admittance to or expulsion from other European countries was and is an internal matter decided by the countries involved and no direct or indirect guidance or recommendations have been offered to these countries by this Agency.

I hope this will be helpful to you in responding to Mr. Hauser. As you requested, I am returning the correspondence that was forwarded with your note.

Sincerely,

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